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Dear Sir/Madame,

I am an artist and software developer in New York City. I strongly object to the current terms of settlement in the DOJ vs. Microsoft antitrust case presently under consideration.

I believe that the software industry has achieved sufficient complexity in its development to mandate a complete separation between ANY Operating Systems company and ANY Productivity Software company. As we have seen, if a company provides both Operating System software as well as Productivity Software there is ample room for abuse of so-called third-party developers.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Gregory Rukavina